



Massachusetts 2023 Evidence of Coverage Amendment

The following amendment is effective for all fully-insured large group plans renewing on or after 1/1/2023. This amendment includes important information about your health care coverage under your Massachusetts health insurance plan.

Behavioral Health Designated Facility Program

Effective 1/1/2023, the Behavioral Health Designated Facility program will be discontinued. Under this program, a network of designated behavioral health and substance use disorder facilities were used to provide members on fully-insured Massachusetts Commercial HMO plans with certain intermediate and *Inpatient* behavioral health and substance use disorder services such as crisis stabilization, emergency services, level-of-care determination, and acute *Inpatient* treatment. *Members* on applicable plans no longer need to coordinate their care through a Designated Facility when receiving intermediate and *Inpatient* behavioral health and substance use disorder services and can instead immediately access any contracting behavioral health and substance use disorder facility in their plan's network. Please contact the Member Services Department for additional information. To find a *Provider* for these services, please see our website. Click on "Find a Doctor or Hospital" to start your search.